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SUBJECT: REPATRIATION OF NORTH KOREAN FISHERMEN

REF: (A) SEOUL 4790, (B. SEOUL 4807

1. KOREAN EMBASSY POLITICAL COUNSELOR SHIN CALLED
DEPARTMENT JUNE 7 TO SAY THAT HE HAD BEEN INFORMED THAT
ROKG PLANNED TO RELEASE FISHERMEN SOON, AND THAT HE HOPED
THAT ROK PLANS MET USG DESIDERATA.

2. DEPARTMENT OFFICER SAID THAT WE WERE PLEASED THAT
EXPEDITIOUS RETURN WAS IN TRAIN, AND SHIN ASKED IF
USG PLANNED TO ISSUE PUBLIC STATEMENT. DEPARTMENT
OFFICER REPLIED THAT WE HAD NO PLAN TO ISSUE STATEMENT,
AND THAT WE WOULD EXPECT THAT THIS ISSUE WOULD BE
ADEQUATELY HANDLED THROUGH UNC CHANNELS IN SEOUL.

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3. ON JUNE 8, SHIN SAID THAT JAPANESE PRESS HAD LAUDED
THE KOREANS FOR THEIR QUOTE HUMANITARIAN MOVE IN RELEASING
THE FISHERMEN. UNQUOTE
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